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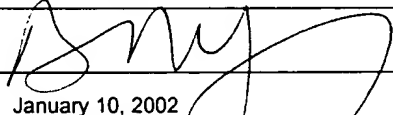
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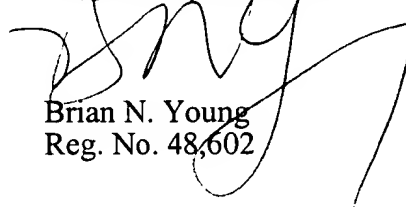
Sir:

Applicant submits this response pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated September 10, 2001 in the above-captioned application. An extension for reply within the two months is requested thereby extending the date to respond to and including January 10, 2002. Enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- 1) Executed Declaration
- 2) Copy of Notice of Missing Parts
- 3) Assignment Document
- 4) Petition for Extension of time (2 months)
- 5) Petition under CFR § 1.47(A)
- 6) Declaration of Chad S. Hilyard
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- o The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- o The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- o To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- o **The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.**

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